

Town of Fremont Parks and Recreation Department  
*Counselor In Training Program - Camp Fremont*

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3/25/09

Dear Applicant,

Thank you for your interest in our Counselor In Training (CIT) Programs. The CIT program is offered to applicants who have graduated from eighth grade or higher by the start of summer camp sessions. Our Jr. CIT program is available for students who have graduated from seventh grade or higher by the start of summer camp sessions. Jr. CITs and CITs are required to attend camp from 9:00-3:00 for a week-long session. You will be provided with a free CIT t-shirt that will be required attire. Additional shirts may be purchased for \$5 from the Camp Director.

The CIT program is a training program. CITs will learn valuable skills that employers seek when hiring counselors. CITs and Jr. CITs will be involved in the daily management of camp activities and assigned to camp staff who will serve as their mentors. However, CITs will also learn how to lead activities and monitor campers where Jr. CITs will simply assist counselors. At the close of the week, both CITs and Jr. CITs will be evaluated on their performance. Strengths and weaknesses will be identified as part of the learning process. This is an excellent opportunity to gain experience in a friendly and educational environment. This program is geared towards helping you be successful.

Upon receiving your application, I will review its contents. Within a few weeks of its receipt, you will be contacted so that you know if your application has been accepted or declined. At that time, your work schedule will be determined. Please indicate which weeks you prefer on your application, although it will not guarantee that those weeks are available. The cost for a week-long session is \$50 for Jr. CITs and \$45 for CITs. This can be paid on the Monday of each week that you attend. You may apply for multiple weeks. Assignments will be made fairly based upon the number of applications received.

Keep in mind that this is a work experience. You are to serve as role models for our campers and be professional. If at any time your behavior is not meeting that expectation, you may be asked not to return. If you need to be removed, your enrollment fee will not be refunded and you will forfeit enrollment for the remainder of the summer. Please consider your maturity and ability to lead young children prior to enrolling. Enrolling in the CIT program does not ensure future employment with Camp Fremont.

We look forward to receiving your application. Expect to learn a lot and have a lot of fun! Our staff is available to answer all of your questions and help you learn the skills needed to become a quality counselor. Should you require any additional information, please feel free to contact me personally. Thank you for considering enrolling in our CIT Programs.

Jennifer Jaquith, Director  
Camp Fremont  
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Please return all applications to: Camp Fremont CIT Program, Parks & Recreation Dept.,  
PO Box 120, Fremont, NH 03044-0120  
(603) 895- 2226



**CAMP FREMONT**

# **Application for Counselor-In-Training (CIT) Program**

## **Fremont Recreation Department**

Name:	Parent/Guardian Name:
Address:	Home Phone:
City:	Cell Phone:
State: Zip:	Email Address:
Date of Birth:	Grade in September: School:

I prefer to work the following weeks: \_\_1 (7/6-7/10) \_\_2 (7/13-7/17) \_\_3 (7/20-7/24) \_\_4 (7/27-7/31) \_\_5 (8/3-8/7) \_\_6 (8/10-8/14)

I am applying for the following position: \_\_Jr. CIT \_\_CIT

### **Previous Camp Experience**

<i>Camp</i>	<i>Role at Camp</i>	<i>Years Attended</i>

### **Extra-Curricular Activities**

<i>Activity</i>	<i>School or Association</i>	<i>Years Involved</i>

### **Work Experience**

<i>Type of Employment/ Position</i>	<i>Place of Employment</i>	<i>Contact Person</i>	<i>Phone</i>	<i>Dates of Employment</i>

### **Completion Date of Fremont Recreation Dept.'s Counselor In Training Program:**

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Application Reviewed By \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_

Approved \_\_\_\_\_ Denied \_\_\_\_\_ Reason: \_\_\_\_\_

Placement: \_\_\_\_\_ Dates/Session: \_\_\_\_\_ Recommendations: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please respond to the following:**

**What would you like to learn through participating in this program?**

**What are your goals for the campers you will be working with?**

**What do you think the campers' goals will be?**

**What do you think the goals of the campers' parents are?**

**Tell us about some of your strengths:**

**Identify some of your weaknesses:**

**I promise that all information on this application is true. I understand that I can be dismissed from the CIT program if any information is found to be false or if my behavior is unacceptable. I also understand that I will not be paid to participate in this program and that enrolling in this program does not ensure future employment.**

**Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_**

**Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_**